

ADVERT ID 251727

Special Needs Assistant

Cara Junior School

Banduff Road Mayfield Cork Cork

MAIN DETAILS

Status: Active
Level: Primary
Date Posted: Wed May 6 2026
Application Closing Date: Mon May 25 2026
Commencement Date: Tue Sep 1 2026
Status of Post: Fixed-term
Number of Vacancies: 1

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type: Special School
School Structure: Junior School
Gender: Co-Educational
School Patronage: Catholic
Total No. of Teaching Staff: 13
Current Enrolment: 72
Droichead school: Yes

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Additional Information:

Cara Junior School is a special school for pupils aged 4-12 years who have a dual diagnosis of ASD and an Intellectual Disability between the Mild to Moderate range.

There are currently 13 teachers and 37 Special Needs Assistants on the staff.

Criteria for this position are as follows:

Relevant QQI/FETAC qualifications and experience in working with children with Autism, Intellectual Disability and Challenging Behaviour are desirable.

Experience of working in a special school or special class setting would be preferable. Additional childcare and/or other relevant qualifications/courses (e.g. First Aid, Positive Behaviour Support Strategies, Lámh Module1, etc) would be highly desirable.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- [It is a requirement to hold a valid Statutory Declaration and to complete the Form of Undertaking for this position.](#)
- Letter of Application
- Referees (name, role, contact no.)
- Copy of Certificates, Diplomas, Degrees
- [Standard Application Form for SNA Posts - in English](#)

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- Email

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